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## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Applicant submits this Preliminary Amendment along with a Request for Continued Examination (RCE). A Listing of Claims begins on page 2 of this paper. Remarks begin on page 10.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge the RCE Large Entity Fee of \$810 (RCE form PTO/SB/30 is attached) and any additional fees that may be due and to credit any overpayments to Glenn Patent Group Deposit Account 07-1445 (Customer No. 22862) (Order No. AOL0139). Applicant considers this document to be filed in a timely manner.